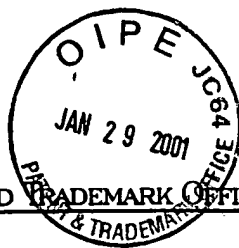




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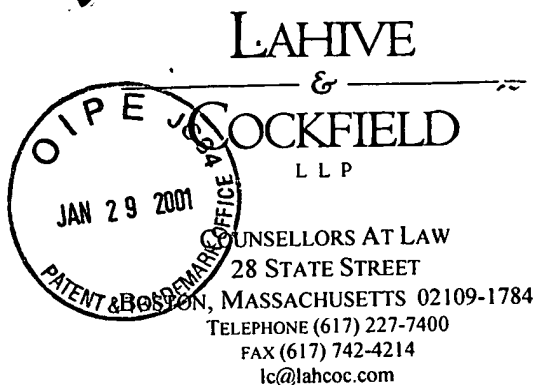
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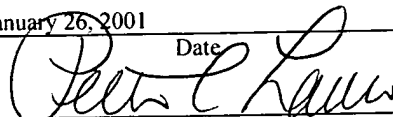
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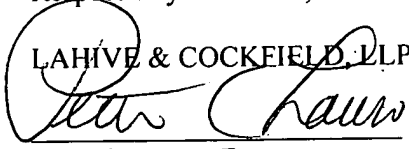
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2. Executed Declaration, Petition and Power of Attorney for Patent Application;
3. Executed Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status;
4. Copy of Formalities Letter;
5. A Request for Two-Month Extension of Time;
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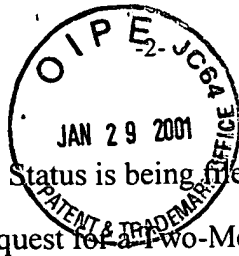
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS  
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated September 26, 2000, Applicants' attorney submits herewith an executed Declaration, Petition, and Power of Attorney for the above-referenced patent application. A check in the amount of \$65.00 (check No. 041170) is enclosed to cover the surcharge owed by Applicant based on small entity status. Accordingly, a copy of the Verified



Statement Claiming Small Entity Status is being filed concurrently herewith. In addition, Applicants submit herewith a Request for a Two-Month Extension of Time and a check for the appropriate fee (\$195.00) (check No. 041171) based on small entity status. Still further, in response to the Raw Sequence Listing Error Report appended to the Notice to File Missing Parts, Applicants submit a diskette containing the corrected sequence listing, substitute sequence listing page, and Transmittal Letter for Diskette Containing Sequence Listing. A copy of the Formalities Letter is also enclosed.

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